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HAPPENINGS IN VERMONT

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will be held in the Congregational Church this evening at 7:30 o'clock. There will be prayers for those who have gone out from these churches to enter the service of the United States in the army or navy and Dr. Ross of Middlebury College will talk about his Christmas vacation visit at Camp Devens. Following the regular meeting there will be a teacher institute with a lecture given by Prof. Raymond McFarland of the college—Patrick McQuinn of Ferrisburg was in Addison county municipal court Tuesday afternoon, charged with not sending his child to school. His case was continued, as he promised to see that the child went to school—County Fish and Game Warden George H. Chadwick and Deputy Warden Walter J. Forbes were in Salisbury Tuesday and arrested Albert Eubar on a charge of trapping rabbits. He was brought to this village and taken before Judge A. W. Dickens in Addison county municipal court, pleaded guilty, and was fined \$15 and costs of \$7.05. Chadwick was released. There will be two special communications of Union Lodge, No. 2, F. & A. M., on Thursday and Friday evenings. Both meetings are called at eight o'clock. Refreshments will be served the latter evening.—The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Church was held at the home of Mrs. George Reynolds Tuesday afternoon. Reports of the officers showed that the society was in a good condition and the following were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Homer Bain; vice-presidents, Mrs. E. H. Martin and Miss Mary Cady; secretary, Mrs. H. T. Myrick; financial secretary, Mrs. Arthur Hinman; treasurer, Mrs. D. L. Robinson; chairman of executive board, Mrs. E. C. Smith. Refreshments were served.—Miss Sadie McGlaughlin has gone to Florence to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McGlaughlin.—Fred C. Crane, who recently removed to town from Bridport, is seriously ill at his home on Seminary street, the exact nature of his disease is not at all certain although he has been suffering from neuritis of the face for several years.—In consideration of the situation between the McDermott corporation and their plant here, which has been rather indefinite for several weeks, the newly organized Dairy company of this district has been considering the advisability of buying the McDermott plant here. The matter has now come so nearly to a head that it is probable that final action toward the purchase will be taken to-day or Friday.—There will be a special meeting of Middlebury Congregational Church, at 8 o'clock, on Saturday, Jan. 19, at 8 o'clock, in the Masonic Temple Tuesday evening at eight o'clock.—Dr. Renfrew has enlisted in the medical corps, U. S. A., and will leave in a few days for Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.—Orris Comstock is moving from the Lawrence house on South street to the Bryna house on the same street.

VERGENNES.

The body of Isaac F. Hatch was brought here Tuesday from Burlington and the funeral services held in the afternoon in the Methodist Episcopal Church. The Rev. E. M. Kent, senior pastor of Burlington Episcopal Church, assisted by the Rev. W. S. Mulholland and the Rev. G. C. Cornell officiated. The bearers were Charles S. Stebbins, C. J. O'Brien, Fred Adams and W. F. Barrows. The body was placed in the vault in Prospect cemetery. Mrs. H. B. Black presided at the organ. The choir, composed of Miss Marion Norton, Miss Helen Mulholland and Raymond Slack, sang, "I'm Nearer My Home To-day" and

"Lead, Kindly Light." At the close of the church service, Masonic services under the auspices of Dorchester Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., of which the deceased was a member, by Worshipful Master Roy M. Spooner. The members of Ethan Allen Post, G. A. R., of which the deceased was a member, attended in a body and acted as escort. There was a profusion of floral tributes. Those accompanying the body from Burlington were Frederick E. Hatch of Salisbury, Md., son of the deceased, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Oldes, Isaac W. Hatch and Harvey F. Beach and Mrs. Ida Town. Others present from out of town were E. C. Tuttle of Rutland, in whose company Mr. Hatch spent about 40 years as traveling salesman, and also a member of the older employees of the Tuttle company, with whom Mr. Hatch had been associated for many years. Mr. and Mrs. Ryland Hatch of Bristol, Mr. and Mrs. George Spencer and Merritt Hunt of Addison. There also were present a large number of relatives and friends, and former neighbors of the deceased from Panton and West Ferrisburg. Among floral tributes were sent pieces from E. C. Tuttle and the officers of the Tuttle company of Rutland bearing the inscription "His Last Order Has Been Filled" and a traveling bag composed of carnations and roses, from the employees of the company, which bore the inscription "His Last Trip."

At the annual meeting of St. Paul's parish the following vestrymen were elected: N. J. McCuen, Charles E. Parker, Timothy Neville, J. A. Harrington, Charles A. Chapman and J. B. Powers. At the annual vestry meeting immediately following the rector appointed F. A. Hoss senior warden and the vestry elected the other officers as follows: Junior warden and secretary, N. J. McCuen; treasurer, J. A. Harrington; delegates to the diocesan convention, C. E. Parker, J. B. Powers and C. A. Chapman; members of the vestry, N. J. McCuen and J. A. Harrington. The government order forbidding the use of fuel in all stores except those selling food was rigidly but cheerfully observed by all the places of business affected. Monday The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. George D. Middlebrook.—Poster Daigneault, who is employed in Bennington, is spending a few days with his family.—Thomas Murphy of the 302nd light field artillery stationed at Camp Devens and his brother, Walter B. Murphy of Granville, N. Y., visited friends here Saturday.—Russell Kent of Rochester, N. Y., who has enlisted in the United States army, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rollin T. Kent, before going to the New York army from where he expects in a short time to sail to France.—Saturday two teams owned by Mayor Walter W. Bristol, drew from the depot to his stock barns on Greene street five tons each of feed. Each load represented a cash value of over \$500. Mrs. Louisa Barnes, widow of John Barnes, died Sunday.—Guy A. Beach returned Sunday from the Mass. Fletcher hospital, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.—C. T. S. Pierce, commander of the State G. A. R. department, was in Burlington Sunday.—Miss Eliza Benton has received news of the death of her father, Mr. S. H. Benton, of her sister, Mrs. Sarah Selmes, widow of Col. Tilden Selmes.—Mrs. George W. Stone is at a hospital in Burlington, where she recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.—Mrs. Anna Wheeler and daughter of Brainerd are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Harwood.—Miss Frances Wheeler visited in Burlington Saturday.

Postmaster John H. Donnelly has received notice from U. S. District Attorney Carpenter of Rutland that all alien Germans in this section from the age of 14 up will be required to register between February 4 and 9. Blanks for registration can be procured at the Vergennes postoffice.—Mrs. J. K. Severance of Keeseville, N. Y., has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. W. R. Warner.—Mrs. Harry M. Norton, Miss Ruth Stebbins and Miss Eliza Benton visited in Burlington Tuesday.—Lieut. Donald Norton, who is stationed at Camp Devens, is making a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Norton.—Charles Taber went yesterday to Middlebury for a few days' visit to his brother, Arthur Taber, who is a teacher in the association held here for the anniversary meeting Tuesday evening. After a short business session the following program was carried out: Papers on "Work Done in Other Parent-Teachers Associations" were read by Mrs. Wilfred Jodoin, Mrs. M. L. Barton, and Mrs. W. S. Mulholland. Paper, "Red Cross Work Done in Vergennes Graded School, Miss Edna Ball. Paper, "Necessity of Occupation," Mrs. Benton. Paper, "Conservation of Clothing," Miss Doris Sturtevant. Victrola selections. At the close of the program refreshments were served. A meeting of Dorchester Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., the three degrees was worked on a class of candidates.—Mrs. M. T. Bristol has been spending several days with her daughter, the Misses Ada and Jennie Bristol of Middlebury.—Mrs. George Casey substituted as teacher in the Vergennes school in the place of Miss Evelyn Wright, who is ill at the home of her parents in Middlebury.—W. L. Abbott of Saxtons River called on friends here Tuesday.—Past Grand W. F. Barrows was deputized by District Deputy I. L. Potter of Burlington, who was unable to be present, installed the following newly elected and appointed officers of Champlain Lodge, No. 68, at Odd Fellows' Hall Tuesday evening: N. G. Henry Hallock; V. G. Stanley B. Bacon; secretary, H. A. Farrar; treasurer, H. B. Black; warden, W. T. Barrows; conductor, Roy C. Yattaw; O. G. Warren Miner; I. G. Fred Mulried; R. S. N. G. Howard D. Hallock; L. S. N. G. George A. Hunt; R. S. V. G. F. E. Ward; L. S. V. G. Fred H. Rivers; R. S. S. George Blais; L. S. S. Fred H. Adams; P. G. S. H. Burroughs; H. H. Burroughs was elected representative to the Grand Lodge. It was voted to hold a ladies' night the evening of February 5 with whist and dancing. At the close an oyster supper was served and Supp. H. A. Farrar presided. The lodge presented Past Grand S. H. Burroughs with a past grand collar.

BRISTOL.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hatch went to Vergennes Tuesday to attend the funeral of I. F. Hatch.—The young ladies of the high school gave Mrs. Obediah Harrison who was recently married, a shower party Monday evening.—Mrs. Harrison is the domestic science teacher of the high school.—Contractor Arthur Brown of Middlebury has begun building Charles Hunt's house on the corner of Mountain street and Pith avenue. Mr. Hunt has sold his farm in New Haven and will move his family here March 1.—Mrs. John Wright is ill at her home on Mountain street.—"Mothers' night" will be observed by the Outlook club Friday night at the home of Miss Helen Bosworth.—Casper Jones of Montgomery Center is in town.—A war savings campaign will start to-day by a house to house canvass for the sale of this thrift stamp.—The Protestant Church will have union services Sunday evenings for the remainder of the winter to conserve fuel.

Saturday was the last day that the grocers delivered their goods. This was necessary because they were unable to get goods with which to fill their orders.—The kindly club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. G. H. Sumner on Bristol Flats.—A good audience greeted the Saxons in Holley hall Friday night. The next entertainment of the high school course will be "The Parnell," February 21.—A drive for the sale of thrift stamps is being planned by the local committee with S. J. Dickerman chairman.—The funeral of Mrs. John Adams was held in Lincoln Saturday at 3:30 p. m.—The Rev. G. A. Parker, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, of which Mrs. Atwood was a member, officiated. The burial was in Lincoln. Several friends from here attended the funeral. A prayer service was held at her late home.—Fred McCham was at home from Middlebury College over Sunday.—B. C. Wright of Springfield was in town Friday.—Ralph Brown is on the sick list.—Miss Abbie Gove spent Sunday with Miss Helen Taft in Starkboro.—Hubert Taft spent Sunday at his home in Starkboro.—David Davis, who has been ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Burt Lathrop, is getting better.—The members of the Federated Sunday school were invited to meet at the Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon after school to go on a sleighride, made possible by the kindness of Mr. Denio, Mr. Estey and Mr. Landon, who furnished teams.—The woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. N. Hill.—Mrs. J. C. Norton has been ill the past week.—"Mothers' night" will be observed by the Outlook club Friday evening at the home of Miss Helen Bosworth. This meeting is in charge of the social and music committees.

WESTFORD.

Mrs. C. A. Munson died early Sunday morning at an advanced age. She is survived by her husband, four daughters, Mrs. Reuben Jackson of Johnson, Mrs. George Garrow and Mrs. John Ballard of Westford, and Mrs. O. C. Norton of Waterbury, and one son, C. A. Munson, Jr. There is also a stepdaughter, Mrs. Ed. Myers of Holyoke, Mass.—Mrs. W. W. White is visiting in Canada.—The Fortnightly club will meet at the home of Mrs. Helen Taft on Thursday.—Mrs. Amelia Irish is in Stowe, called there by the illness of her brother-in-law, Enos Hill.—The Rev. C. S. Quimby was called to Cambridge Friday to attend the funeral of Mr. Baker. His wife accompanied him.

The Red Cross committee on supplies requests that knitted articles be handed in as soon as finished as there is a great demand for them.—Miss Grace Allen returned to her school in Lynn, Saturday.—Cecil Elmer of Corinth, N. Y., is the guest of his brother, Ernest Elmer, for a few days.

SALISBURY.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Lowell of this place received word Friday of the sudden death of their son, Charles J. Lowell, Jr., at the Proctor hospital. He underwent an operation for hernia 10 days ago, and his death was not expected. He was 20 years of age.

HANCOCK.

Fred Sprague, who has been at the Mary Fletcher hospital since November, was brought home last week Monday and is at Thomas Combes', Mrs. Sprague's father.—Mrs. L. M. Church was in Rochester at her home Saturday and Sunday of this week and attended the funeral of Frank Hubbard.—Frank Whittier lost a horse last week, cause unknown, went to barn and found it dead.—Herbert Church is on the gain. He was able to be removed the first of the week to his own home. He has been with his parents since his accident in the woods, two weeks ago.

MONKTON.

The funeral service for Frank Comstock was held at his late home Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. The Rev. Edwin Meader of Starkboro officiated. Mr. Comstock was 49 years of age. He was born in this village and, with the exception of seven years which he lived in Proctor, had been a resident of Monkton. His death was due to complications which set in, caused from an accident he received New Year's day. He seemed to be getting from his injuries. He was a member of M. W. A. Camp of Monkton and Odd Fellows Lodge of Proctor. His first wife was Cornelia Sutton, daughter of the Rev. George Sutton, who died 16 years ago this month. Of that union there are seven children, who are his three sons, C. Comstock of Bristol, Brainard of Charlotte and Carroll of Springfield, Mass., and the Misses Caroline and Cornelia. November 14, 1917, he married Mrs. Catherine Farn of this town, who survives him; also an aged mother, and one sister, Mrs. J. E. Ladd of Burlington. The bearers were W. H. Gee, H. V. Sears, H. L. Langway, E. H. Palmer, C. J. Shepard and B. C. Gee. The last rites were held at the funeral home of the Rev. H. C. Brown, where the beautiful floral pieces show the esteem in which the deceased was held in this community.—Howard Shepard was called to Bristol Sunday for examination for military service.—Miss Cicely Donahue, who was teaching in Grafton, has returned. Miss Donahue is now teaching in Charlotte.

LINCOLN.

Mrs. Sarah Atwood, widow of George Atwood, died of pneumonia Wednesday January 16, in Shelburne at the home of her nephew, Frank Atwood, where she went to spend Thanksgiving, and in which place she had since been unable to return. Mrs. Atwood was 74 years of age. A few years ago she moved to Bristol, but previous to that time spent most of her life in this town. She was a devoted member of the local Methodist Church from the time of its organization, was a kind neighbor and friend, and her death was looked upon with high esteem and respectability. She leaves one sister, Mrs. Hannah Varney, besides several nephews. The remains were brought to the Methodist Church where funeral services were held Thursday afternoon, the Rev. Parker of Bristol officiating, assisted by the local pastor, Rev. C. H. Benn. Funeral hymns were sung by a quartette composed of L. H. Rhodes and wife, Mrs. Stella Benton and C. R. Bicknell, with Mrs. John Bristol at the organ. The bearers were Frank and Harvey Atwood, George Barnard and Arthur Varney. Burial was made in Maple cemetery.

The dinner to have been given last week by Mrs. C. A. Purinton for the benefit of the Red Cross was postponed until January 18.—D. S. Day has been ill the past week.—Mrs. J. C. G. Jones, who is visiting in town.—Fred Whittier of Rochester has been a visitor at the home of Luther Rhodes.—Mrs. C. H. Purinton has recovered from a severe attack of neuritis.—Dr. C. K. Johnson of Burlington, who was in town last week in council with Doctors Briggs and Williamson of Bristol for the son of J. L. Morgan, who has been ill several weeks. The boy was taken to Burlington by his parents Saturday morning, where he will receive treatment at the Mary Fletcher hospital.—Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon for Mrs. Sarah Eubar, widow of Joseph Eubar, who died at the home of her son Joseph Eubar, Jr., in South Lincoln. The Rev. E. J. Abar officiated and burial was made in Maple cemetery. Mrs. Eubar was one of the oldest residents of this town. She is survived by seven sons, Joseph, Frank, William, James, Melvin, Henry and Adolphus, and one daughter, Hattie.

GRANVILLE.

Charles Lawrence was at home from Springfield over Sunday.—C. Martin, and two daughters of Rochester, were here to install officers for Ringston Grange Saturday night, and stayed at Thad Pittsford's.—M. H. Wyman was here from Pittsford on Sunday.—Mrs. Hiram Luce has returned from Pittsford, where she has been working.

WALTHAM.

Mrs. F. C. Ward visited her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Booth, at Bluff Point, last week.—Miss Eva Merrill returned to her home from the Mary Fletcher hospital last Friday.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Courney of Haverhill were in town Saturday.—P. W. Otis and C. W. Ward attended the farm bureau meeting held at the city hall in Vergennes last Friday evening.

ORWELL.

The last number of the entertainment course came last Saturday evening and ended up with a dance for the Red Cross.—There were 10 marriages last year in town, 23 births, and 12 deaths.—Miss Jennie Plue returned last week from Middlebury.—S. D. Bishop was operated on at the Moose hospital at Ticonderoga, N. Y., last week. He is doing well.—Sherry Burt and daughter of Rutland have been with his mother, Mrs. George Burt.—Carl Smith of Boston, and Paul C. Annis of Troy have been wiring houses in the village of a week.—Miss Marion Howes has returned to her home in Haverhill, days with her sister, Mrs. V. H. Coffey.—A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Bertrand.—Miss Mollie Hack returned to Keene, N. H., last week after Henry E. Hack.—The E. F. D. men have only missed one day, but one night it was 11 o'clock when they finished.—The captain for Orwell to help raise the State's \$50,000 Knights of Columbus fund is D. A. The ice harvest is about completed. It has got to 30 inches in thickness.—The ministrations committee met at the parsonage Tuesday evening.

STARKSBORO.

Frank Harris attended the funeral of his cousin, Mrs. Alon Rollins, in South Burlington Monday.—Following are the new officers of Friendship Bible class for 1918: President, Mrs. M. E. Eddy; secretary, Lottie V. Smith; treasurer, Jane Bickford; teacher, Martha Smith.—Arthur Baskedie, who has been working in Manchester, N. H.,

—The Christian Culture club will meet to-day with Miss Jane Bickford.—Two letters received recently from Lieutenant Newton state the perfect health of the men. They are now within sound of the big guns. Their work is making bullets, but they expect to be pushed on soon.—There will be installation by Deputy Clark, followed by supper, at Grange this week.

ADDISON.

A Red Cross dance at the town hall Friday evening. It is to be an "Old folks' dance."—Miss Ella Davidson is quite ill at the home of her niece, Mrs. W. S. Boardman. Dr. Rogers attends her.—Mrs. George Willmanth, who has been with her parents since Christmas, returned to her home at Boston, on Tuesday.—Arthur Clark is still confined to the house with grip.—R. N. Warner, and some others, attended the dairymen's meetings in Burlington last week.—Mrs. P. B. Norton entertained the Red Cross society at her home on Thursday for an all day meeting.

PANTON.

Miss Ruth Patten, daughter of Mrs. J. W. Jackson, and Harvey Elshop were married January 16 at Orwell.—Mrs. Sarah Hatch has gone to the home of her son, Wesley, at Weybridge, after having spent several weeks with her son and wife here.—Mr. Crampton, who has been testing E. H. Davis' herd of full-blooded Holstein cattle, has returned to his home in Rutland. Mr. George Craftsbury, is now at Mr. Davis'.—Russell Kent of Rochester, N. Y., has been in town for a short visit. He expects to leave soon for New York, where with his company he expects soon to embark for France. He is in the reserve hospital corps.—Ross Kent has returned from Orlando, Fla., where he went in the fall.—The Home Circle will meet Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Van Orman.—Harry Moulton and Roswell Gaines left Saturday for Worcester, Mass.—The Red Cross social gathering will be held Wednesday evening of next week with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Fliske.—At the meeting of the fourth quarterly conference last week there was a unanimous call extended to the pastor, the Rev. G. C. Cornell, for his return another year.—Several from here attended the funeral of I. F. Hatch, which was held at the Methodist Episcopal Church in Vergennes Tuesday at two o'clock.—Next Sunday the Rev. G. C. Cornell will exchange pulpits with the Rev. W. H. Mulholland of Vergennes. The communion service will be administered.—Mrs. Louisa Barnes died Sunday of paralysis at the advanced age of 73. Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Baptist Church, the Rev. S. H. Myers officiating. Burial was in the Adams Ferry yard by the side of her husband. The bearers were C. J. Palmer, B. Kent, J. H. Converse and M. Flemming. She leaves a sister, Mrs. Frank Johnson, of West Addison.

SHOREHAM.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Missionary society was held with Mrs. F. E. Platt Thursday of last week. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. R. B. Simmons; vice-president, Miss Nellie Tottingham; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. E. F. Townsend; Mrs. T. A. Richards.—The Moravian club met with Mrs. H. H. Burge Saturday, lunch being served at noon. The entertainment committee will turn over to the Red Cross \$10, part of which is personal subscriptions from members of the club.—Winslow Clark has returned from a trip to Chicago.—Mrs. A. G. Dudley is ill.—The first hard freeze of the winter is passing a few days in Burlington.—A farce, "A Day in Court," will be given by local talent at Academy hall Friday evening, followed by a dance. The proceeds go to the Red Cross.—George Wood, who is at Hotel Bissell several weeks, has returned to Rutland.

CHITTENDEN COUNTY.

WINOOSKI.

Mrs. J. L. Shanley, wife of Captain Shanley of the 101st Ammunition Train, has received from her husband five letters recently, bearing dates from December 23. Written on different dates, they arrived in the same mail here. He reports that the company has moved to another base, 400 miles north, and has run into cold weather, while in their first camp the weather was mild. The boys have experienced their first hardships of the war. The trains in which they were transported compared very favorably with troop trains used here. The came up and landed on a snowstorm. There were many panes of glass out of the windows. The compartments carry conveniently eight men, but they put in nine with their equipment, which crowded them somewhat. They slept on the floor of the car on cushions from the seats, wrapped in their blankets, with some comfort. The first night out they put in at some of the stations foot warmers of metal for holding hot water, which was the only heat they had in travel. Arriving at their station in the early morning, after three or four days on the road, they began pulling the town and getting it into sanitary shape. They found shelter wherever they could. Some of the men were sheltered in granaries and haylofts, while some were fortunate enough after awhile to find private rooming places. They had, however, their travels plenty to eat and added, "Thanks to Uncle Sam." He said further, "One matter where his men are they get the troops at home." They are making this camp for other troops which are to follow. The letters were written by candle light as there are no electric lights or lamps there.

A French bugler gives the call at eight o'clock at night for all lights to go out. The town is in total darkness on account of air raids. They are near enough to front to hear the big guns. The men are notwithstanding sleeping in haylofts, etc., the men do not complain. These conditions were improved in a few days.

Captain Shanley has 125 men and the officers are superintendents of construction inspecting their billets and looking after the sanitary conditions of the town. Eugene Brillion and Bernard Dunlevy, the latter a former St. Michael's College student, sang at mid-night mass in the church there Christmas eve. (Brillion choir.) For Christmas they had 29 turkeys, besides these birds they had cranberry sauce, sweet and Irish potatoes, butter, bread and butter, cranberries, prunes, nuts, raisins, figs, at this writing that is all. Homeister, whom he had not seen since leaving the States, was located some short distance from him with some of the boys and camp would have been without any Christmas dinner, and all were about to starve. With this money they purchased food, candles, nuts and cookies and each child received something. Besides this all the women were given shares of their Christmas dinner, and all were about to starve and cried "Viva la Americanas." Besides being company commander, Captain Shanley has many times been camp commander. He suggests that if people from here wish to send the boys news-papers or magazines that they would be more apt to get them if they were sent to someone in particular as the first soldier.

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